

Claims

[c1] What is claimed is:

1. An electronic apparatus comprising:
a housing;
a scanning module installed in the housing for scanning a document and generating corresponding image data;
a control unit installed in the housing for controlling operations of the electronic apparatus;
a first printer installed in the housing and directly electrically connected to the control unit;
a second output port electrically connected to the control unit for connecting a second printer; and
a printer selecting device electrically connected to the control unit for selecting one of the two printers as an output device;
wherein when the scanning module finishes scanning a document, the control unit transmits the image data of the document to the printer selected by the printer selecting device so as to print the document according to the image data.

[c2] 2.The electronic apparatus of claim 1 further comprising a memory installed in the housing for storing the image

data generated by the scanning module, wherein after the scanning module completes scanning of the document, the control unit transmits the image data from the memory to the first or second printer.

[c3] 3.The electronic apparatus of claim 1 wherein one of the two printers is a black-and-white laser printer and the other is a color inkjet printer.

[c4] 4.The electronic apparatus of claim 1 further comprising a connecting port installed on the housing and electrically connected to the control unit for connecting a computer, wherein after the scanning module finishes scanning the document, the control unit transmits the image data of the document to the computer through the connecting port and the computer may transmit the image data through the control unit to the first or second printer for printing.

[c5] 5.The electronic apparatus of claim 1 wherein the printer selecting device is a manually actuated switch.

[c6] 6.The electronic apparatus of claim 1 wherein the printer selecting device is an electronic switch adapted to receiving a switch instruction from the control unit and selecting the first or second printer based on the switch instruction.

[c7] 7. The electronic apparatus of claim 1 wherein the printer selecting device is an electronic switch having a manual actuator adapted to receiving a switch instruction from the control unit and selecting the first or second printer based on the switch instruction and a position of the manual actuator.

[c8] 8. An electronic apparatus comprising:
a housing;
a scanning module installed in the housing for scanning a document and generating corresponding image data;
a control unit installed in the housing for controlling operations of the electronic apparatus;
a first printer installed in the housing and directly electrically connected to the control unit;
a second printer installed in the housing and directly electrically connected to the control unit;
a printer selecting device electrically connected to the control unit for selecting one of the two printers as an output device;
wherein when the scanning module finishes scanning a document, the control unit transmits the image data of the document to the printer selected by the printer selecting device so as to print the document according to the image data.

- [c9] 9.The electronic apparatus of claim 8 further comprising a memory installed in the housing for storing the image data generated by the scanning module, wherein after the scanning module completes scanning of the document, the control unit transmits the image data from the memory to the first or second printer.
- [c10] 10.The electronic apparatus of claim 8 wherein one of the two printers is a black-and-white laser printer and the other is a color inkjet printer.
- [c11] 11.The electronic apparatus of claim 8 further comprising a connecting port installed on the housing and electrically connected to the control unit for connecting a computer, wherein after the scanning module finishes scanning the document, the control unit transmits the image data of the document to the computer through the connecting port and the computer may transmit the image data through the control unit to the first or second printer for printing.
- [c12] 12.The electronic apparatus of claim 8 wherein the printer selecting device is a manually actuated switch.
- [c13] 13.The electronic apparatus of claim 8 wherein the printer selecting device is an electronic switch adapted to receiving a switch instruction from the control unit and

selecting the first or second printer based on the switch instruction.

- [c14] 14. The electronic apparatus of claim 8 wherein the printer selecting device is an electronic switch having a manual actuator adapted to receiving a switch instruction from the control unit and selecting the first or second printer based on the switch instruction and a position of the manual actuator.